Jamary 10, 1918.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of December 3, 1917, there is enclosed herewith Permit No. 28 authorising you to engage in certain fishery operations within the Aleutian Islands Reservation, Alaska. In the matter of securing fish through natives it is immaterial whether you purchase from them or whether you hire them to fish for you.

You are advised that the annual report indicated in the permit is a special one required for the records of the Department and is not to be in lieu of any required by virtue of Section 10 of the Act approved June 26, 1906, for the protection and regulation of the fisheries of Alaska.

Very truly yours,

3 Enclosures.

Secretary.

Mr. Edwin H. Larson, Unalaska, Alaska.

PERMIT TO ENGAGE IN FISHERY OPERATIONS WITHIN THE

ALEUTIAN ISLANDS RESERVATION, ALASKA.

Under the provisions of Executive Order of March 3, 1913, establishing the Aleutian Islands Reservation, and in accordance with the regulations for the Aleutian Islands Reservation, Alaska, effective March 15. 1914, Mr. Edwin H. Larsen, of Unalaska, Alaska, is hereby suthorised to establish and operate a saltery in the vicinity of Unalaska Bay, Unalaska Island, Aleutian Islands Reservation. Alaska, for use in connection with the taking and preservation for commercial purposes of cod and salmon from the waters in the region: Provided, That as far as possible all work in connection with the taking and subsequent preparation of fish for the market shall be performed by the permittee or by natives who are residents of the Aleutian Islands Reservation (the services of white men married to such natives may also be utilized): And provided further. That the permittee shall observe the existing laws and regulations for the protection of the fisheries of Alaska and for the administration of the Aleutian Islands Reservation (copies of which are hereto attached), as well as those that may hereafter be enacted or promulgated for such purposes.

This permit is not transferable and is revocable at any time at the pleasure of the Secretary of Commerce. It is issued with the understanding that the permittee will forward to the Commissioner of Fisheries. Southern Janes 18 Washington, D. C., not later than December 31 of each year a report covering in detail all operations carried on in the current calendar year by virtue thereof.

Secretary.